

1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

2 Serial No.....09/153,432
3 Filing Date9/14/98
InventorshipCamara et al.
ApplicantMicrosoft Corporation
4 Attorney's Docket No.MSI-262US
Title:.....Computer-Implemented Image Acquisition System
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6 **DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION**
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to
my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed
below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the
subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention
entitled "Computer-Implemented Image Acquisition System" referenced above.

I have reviewed and understand the content of the above-identified
specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the
examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal
Regulations, § 1.56(a).

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATIONS: no applications for foreign patents or
inventor's certificates have been filed prior to the date of execution of this
declaration.

21 **Power of Attorney**

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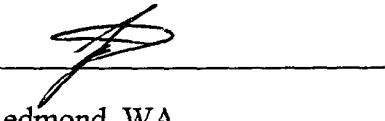
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1 **AGREEMENT**

2 WHEREAS, ASSIGNOR(S) are inventor(s) of an invention entitled
3 "Computer-Implemented Image Acquisition System ,," as described and claimed in
4 the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent
5 referenced above;

6 WHEREAS, Microsoft Corporation (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE),
7 a corporation of the State of Washington having a place of business at One
8 Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire right,
9 title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be
10 granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

11 NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the
12 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby sell, assign and
13 transfer unto ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said
14 invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for
15 said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in
16 any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and
17 continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the
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21 said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and
22 assigns for their use and benefit and of their successors and assigns as fully and
23 entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNOR(S) had this
24 assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNOR(S) hereby authorize and
25 request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on

1 said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNOR(S) agree to execute all instruments and
2 documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United
3 States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said
4 letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters
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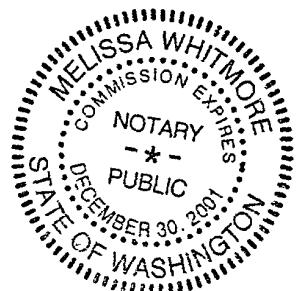
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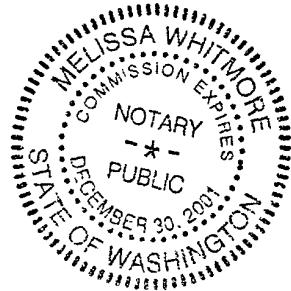
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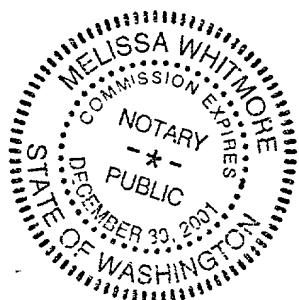
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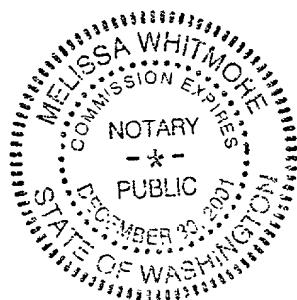
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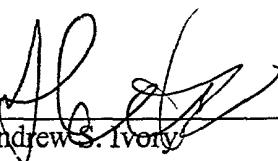
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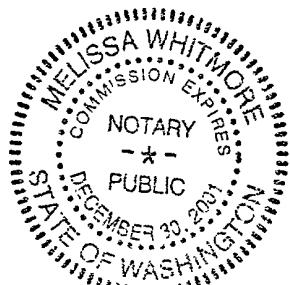
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